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REF: BRIDGETOWN 1236

1. FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM PRESIDENT FORD SHOULD BE DELIVERED TO PM GAIRY: DEAR MR. PRIME MINISTER:

ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, MRS. FORD AND I JOIN IN EXPRESSING OUR APPRECIATION FOR YOUR THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE ON THE OCCASION OF THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR NATION'S INDEPENDENCE.

IN OUR BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS, THE AMERICAN PEOPLE NOT ONLY MARK THE DEEDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE PAST, BUT ALSO REAFFIRM OUR COMMITMENT TO INDIVIDUAL FREEDOM, DIGNITY AND EQUALITY.

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WE LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH YOU TOWARD THE IMPORTANT

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SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD.

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